GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:208
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ANTI NATIONAL SPEECHES
Puttaraju Shri C.S.

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the existing laws for prosecution of persons who make anti-national speeches are inadequate;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps being taken to amend the laws in consultation with the State Governments?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a): No, Madam. The Indian Penal Code, 1860 has adequate provisions for prosecution of persons who make anti-national speeches.

(b) & (c): Does not arise in view of (a) above.